

The Daily Astorian.

ASTORIA, OREGON:
THURSDAY, JULY 12, 1906

The Queen sailed yesterday afternoon.

Now is a good time to get your barrel of salmon for winter use.

Locomotive engineers on the N. P. R. R., are paid from \$100 to \$130 per month.

It has apparently forgotten how to rain in this pleasant land, and the parched earth was never so thirsty.

Courtright & Hawkins play at Occidental Hall to-morrow night. Reserved seats at the New York Novelty Store.

Henry Ward Beecher is coming and will lecture in Astoria if sufficient pecuniary inducement is proffered the manager of the trip.

The N. P. Terminal company has contracted for the building of a large foundry at Albina, eighty feet wide and three hundred feet long.

Fish are taking a further tumble and the bottom seems to have dropped out of the market. It's been a singular season, take it altogether.

The members of the Pioneer and Historical society of Oregon will please take notice of the time of burial of their deceased brother, T. P. Powers.

H. G. Hurlburt and his surveying party have reached the Nehalem, and are camped about four miles east of Jewell, and about thirty-four miles from Astoria.

Cleveland Rockwell's new painting "The Columbia River Bar," has been purchased by Capt. Flavel, as a companion piece to "Sunrise at Astoria" by the same artist. The price paid was \$500.

O. H. Cole who has been adjusting insurance claims resulting from the late fire, leaves to-day on the Wide West. Any one wishing to see him can find him this morning at A. Van Dusen's agency.

The interests of the insurance companies and the insuring public are mutual and whatever concerns one does the other. It seems to us the companies are making a mistake in putting on such rates as virtually make insurance prohibitory.

The full tide of summer seaward travel has set this way, and the river boats are bringing down exhausted sufferers from the dust and heat of the interior to recuperate in Astoria and vicinity, which furnishes the most delightful climate this side of Italy.

Jordan & Bozorth fling their banner to the breeze this morning, and open with an extensive stock of crockery and glass ware of fine quality and at a price which they guarantee to be extremely low. They are both straightforward young men and will undoubtedly do a good business.

Every place learns a lesson by every big fire within its limits, but it is not every place that profits by its lesson. Astoria, last week, learned that its streets were too narrow, a lesson that it will be wise if it heeds. Seattle Post-Intelligencer. A reference to the advertisement "proposals for bids" would not indicate that the lesson was heeded. Twenty feet is a tremendous width.

Owing to pressing business cares H. B. Parker, proprietor of the popular hotel bearing his name has leased that fine property to Mr. A. Assell, who will hereafter manage the hotel, assuming control next Monday. That gentleman's experience is considerable and he will doubtless keep the hotel up to its present standard of excellence.

The fish seen jumping in the bay for a week or two past are sturgeon. The Chinook salmon will commence running about the first of August, but they are not jumpers, and the fishermen must have an eye to business to get an even start with them. In September the silver salmon will follow the Chinook. Some 15 boats will be used in talking fish in the bay this season. -Cos Mail.

In Judge Fox's court yesterday afternoon, in the case of John Anderson charged with assault and battery on the person of E. Weering, the defendant demanded a jury trial, and got it, securing an acquittal. In the case of the State of Oregon vs. Joe Sanverson, charged with assault with a deadly weapon, the Judge held Joseph in default of \$2,000 bail to await the action of the grand jury.

The Astorian has no objection to the San Francisco Merchant's attempt to bear the market, but it does object to adverse criticism of THE ASTORIAN's reports. These reports are correct, and are in every case the result of personal observation and impartial judgement. Perhaps our S. F. contemporary is unable to understand this, but it should at least refrain from unmerited blame.

For a Neat Fitting Boot Or Shoe, go to P. J. Goodmans, on Chenamus street, next door to J. W. Case. All goods of the best make and guaranteed quality. A full stock; new goods constantly arriving. Custom work.

DEATH OF FATHER POWERS.

The End of a Long and Useful Life.

Truman P. Powers, one of the oldest and most respected of our citizens died at his residence in upper Astoria at twenty minutes to two o'clock yesterday afternoon, in the eighty-first year of his age. "The good, gray head that all men knew" is at rest forever, and nothing remains but the memory in the minds of his friends and neighbors, of a well spent life. His death has been daily, almost hourly expected for several months, and with him it may be truly said that the weary wheels of life at last stand still. The sufferings of this estimable old man for the last four years have been at times excruciating, but through all he bore himself with the most exemplary fortitude and in the few hours of relief enjoyed between paroxysms of pain, gave evidence by his cheerfulness of the unwavering serenity of his disposition. In the early summer increasing infirmity compelled him to forego his daily trip through the city, and for the last five months he had not been at any time free from the most distressing pain. To friends who daily crowded to see him he spoke with all the candor of his Christian nature concerning death and immortality, and declared his readiness to go, in the assurance that all was well, and that when all of earth was over he would see the Redeemer in whom he all his life had placed his most implicit trust. At the time the new Presbyterian church was built it was his earnest prayer that he be spared to witness its completion. The prayer was granted, and few who heard yesterday afternoon the tolling of the bell, his dying gift to the church with which he had affiliated for three score years, but paused in their daily vocations in respect to the good old man whose life is one of the most complete in its Christian character of any with which we have ever been acquainted.

About four years ago, his left leg was amputated below the knee, and at the time few supposed he would survive the operation, but he did, and stumped cheerily around on a wooden substitute. The immediate cause of his death seemed to be inability of the heart to longer send the blood through the arteries of the body. Every week the difficulty increased, and at the last it was but the flickering of the candle in the socket. To the last he retained full possession of his mental faculties, conversing with friends and relations and giving directions as to the manner and time of the funeral, etc.

He was born in Vermont in 1803, and while yet a young man emigrated to Mississippi from whence with his wife he came to Clatsop county in the spring of 1847, and where he has since almost continuously resided. In accordance with his last wishes the funeral will take place at half past twelve o'clock p. m., to-morrow from his late residence. The remains will be carried to the Presbyterian church, where the Rev. J. V. Milligan will conduct the funeral services, after which the body will be carried to Clatsop cemetery and laid by the side of that of his wife.

A Christian Mission.

Ed. ASTORIAN: I beg to correct a little your kindly notice of our trip to Skapanon on Sunday last. The affair was not an "excursion" or "picnic," but a strictly Christian mission, the object being, as announced, to visit and address the Sunday school there and at its close to organize a Band of Hope and a lodge of Good Templars in the evening. It was truly a pleasant and profitable enterprise, and we all returned stronger to prosecute the war "for God, and home, and native land."

T. J. ALLEY.

The report of the P. W. C. T., who acted as THE ASTORIAN's special reporter that day was published as received. As a matter of fact the characterization of the affair as an excursion or a picnic need in no way interfere with its Christian attributes. Some of the best and jolliest of Christians go on picnics and have a way up time.

West Shore; West Shore.

The West Shore for June; splendid illustrations of Astoria; just the number to send away. One thousand copies at Carl Adler's.

Averill's mixed paints, the best in use, for sale at J. W. Connors drug store, opposite Occidental Hotel.

The Peruvian syrup has cured thousands who were suffering from dyspepsia, debility, liver complaint, boils, humors, female complaints, etc. Pamphlets free to any address. Seth W. Fowler & Son, Boston.

A bunch of keys was lost yesterday for which a reward will be paid upon return to this office.

There will be a special meeting of Council No. 955 A. L. of H., at eight o'clock, on Saturday evening, the 14th inst. By order of C. C.

R. V. MONTEITH.

Over \$4,000 worth of diamonds and jewelry on the revolving stand in the window of Hansen's jewelry store. Come around and see them flash in the sunlight.

For the genuine J. H. Cutter old Bourbon, and the best of wines, liquors and San Francisco beer, call at the Camp opposite the bell tower, and see Gem-Bell.

The best cure for diseases of the nerves, brain and muscles, is Brown's Iron Bitters.

Council Proceedings.

On Tuesday evening the city council met in regular session Mayor Hahn presiding. Present, Councilmen Case, Carruthers, Johns, Hume and Trenchard; L. E. Selig, deputy city clerk, C. W. Loughrey, chief of police, C. W. Fulton, city attorney. The minutes of the last regular meeting were read and approved.

PETITIONS. From Astoria railway company asking for a franchise was read, and on motion referred to committee on streets and public ways. From Jno. Mein asking council to refund the money paid for license before his place was burned out was on motion laid on the table. From D. K. Warren and others asking council to construct a sewer on south side of Court street was read and referred to street committee with power to act.

COMMUNICATIONS. From Evan Miles, Capt. U. S. A., acknowledging a vote of thanks tendered him at the last meeting for sending a detachment of infantry to the city on the night of the 2d inst., was read and ordered placed on file. From "Outta Percha Rubber and Manufacturing Co.," in regard to furnishing fire department supplies, was read and ordered filed. From chief engineer asking council to procure supplies for the different fire companies, was read and on motion referred to committee on fire and water.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

From street committee recommending the granting of the petition of property owners along the line of Water street from the west side of West 6th street to the west end of Water street. Recommendation adopted.

From ways and means committee in reference to tax roll, read and referred back for correction. From street committee in reference to the draft of an ordinance to provide manner and time for improving a portion of Main street, and recommending that the time for completion of said improvement be Aug. 1st, 1883. Report adopted.

From special committee in reference to gas franchise, asking for further time, granted.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS.

From street superintendent; read and referred to street committee.

From city sexton; read and referred to committee on public property.

From police judge for June, referred to committee on health and police.

From city treasurer was read and referred to committee on ways and means.

ORDINANCES.

An ordinance to provide for repairing a portion of Water street was passed under suspension of the rules.

An ordinance appropriating \$537.12 to pay certain bills was passed under suspension of the rules.

An ordinance to provide for the time and manner of improving a portion of Main street was read third time and passed.

CLAIMS.

The following claims were ordered paid by warrant: Thos. Logan, \$75; E. C. Holden, \$300; J. F. Halloran & Co., \$237.12; Dr. Fulton, \$5; Goldsmith & Lowenberg, \$13.75; Gill & Clinton, \$20; C. Alexander, \$45; S. Browning, \$33; E. S. Worsley, \$12; A. W. Johnson, \$18; W. McCroskey, \$21; Jno. Hayden, \$21; S. J. Pitkin, \$21; E. D. O'Neil, \$15; A. Zetterman, \$24; W. McKenna, \$15; the other claims were referred.

It was moved and seconded that the committee on health and police confer with the city attorney in regard to closing saloons at midnight.

It was moved and seconded that council adjourn to meet at half past seven p. m. on Saturday, the 14th inst. Adjourned.

Police Court.

By direction of the city council, chief of police Loughrey, last Tuesday night arrested the following parties for alleged violation of ordinance No. 172: Mrs. Cummings, Robert Wilgren, Hattie Marks, George Hill, H. Wiseman & Co., Annie Perry, Mrs. Barrows, China Mary, Nellie Smith. When the cases were called for trial yesterday afternoon Mrs. Cummings, Mrs. Barrows and Nellie Smith forfeited their bail, fifty dollars each, by non-appearance, and bench warrants were issued for their appearance to-day. The cases of Hattie Marks, China Mary and Annie Perry were continued until to-day. In the cases of Robt. Wilgren, Geo. Hill, and Wiseman & Co., the city attorney refused to make out any complaint, for the alleged reason that no sufficient evidence could be adduced to secure conviction, and in his opinion it was useless to begin proceedings. These three cases were taken under advisement.

A School Boy's Grammar.

"Whose is that fine store?" "It is M. D. Kant's store." "What does he sell in that store?" "He sells men's, youth's and boy's clothing from the best stock in the city."

"What else does he sell?" "He sells in fact everything in the line of men's wearing apparel."

"Does he sell cheap?" "He does sell cheaper than any other house in the city."

"Has he anything else to sell?" "Yes, he sells the finest of cloths and cassimeres and has them made up into those elegant fitting suits you see our gentlemen wear."

"Why do they call him the boss?" "Because he has the largest and finest stock, best goods and lowest prices in the city."

Fire! Fire! Fire!
Water! Water! Water!
Smoke! Smoke!! Smoke!!!
\$2,875.60 Salvage received from
J. Bachman Bros., Underwriters.
18 Cases of Dry Goods, Clothing and Furnishing Goods, consigned by Sheriff O'Neil to M. Isaacs & Co.
These goods saved from the wreck of the Steamship Calypso, only slightly damaged by water, will be sacrificed at marvelously low prices.
Wet Cabot A, 15 yards for \$1.00.
Wet American Percales, 25 yds. for \$1.00.
Wet Irish Linen Crash, 14 yds. for \$1.00.
Wet Heavy Fruit of the Loom Sheetting, 4 yds. for \$1.00.
Wet Heavy Canton Flannel, 8 yds. for \$1.00.
Wet Shaker Socks, 8 pair for \$1.00.
Wet Dress Goods; Wet Domestic; Wet Cloaks; Wet Hosiery; Wet Furnishing Goods, and Wet Clothing.
Sheriff O'Neil's Bankrupt Store,
M. ISAACS & Co., Consignees.
Corner Concomly and Main Streets, ASTORIA, OREGON.

Foolish Statements.
Some thoughtless person has been sending dispatches from here that have alarmed San Francisco and eastern insurance companies. We have been shown four dispatches received here, all of the same tenor: "Do you think it advisable to cancel policies? Take no more Astoria policies till further instructions." The agents here have in accordance with the facts telegraphed that there is no ground for apprehension and no reason for any suspension or cessation of insurance business. The whole thing simply illustrates the harm a thoughtless correspondent can do. One gentleman said yesterday, that he was in Los Angeles, California, when the first news of the Astoria fire came. He saw in a Los Angeles paper that we in Astoria were "paralyzed," "were at the mercy of a mob," "had called on Portland for assistance," and a lot more such trash. The natural effect of such unmitigated rot is to alarm all those who have business with Astoria and injure the town. It is just possible that certain outside papers might lose the sale of ten or twelve extra copies of their valuable publications but even that disaster would be secondary to the loss occasioned our citizens by the broadcast spreading of damaging statements that had no foundation in fact.

Salmon.

The California Grocer and Canner of the 7th says:

THE ASTORIAN, whose report we have found very intelligent and uniformly in strict accord with fact; void of any "bearish" or "bullish" propensity, is of the opinion that the pack up to date is fully equal to last year's figures. Sales are very light as compared with those of last year, and it is said that no salmon is going on storage. The only thing scarce in this line is salmon bellies in half barrels, for which \$11 is asked for 85 pounds. On the Sacramento river work is still progressing, canners continuing through that insane desire to do business, even if at a loss. The run amounts to almost nothing. The canneries at Black Diamond are running a fair force of men, and have signified their intention to continue operations until August 1st.—The Contra Costa Gazette says that two canneries at Martinez have closed operations for the season, having put up less than one-half the quantity calculated on at the commencement of the season.—Canners on the Sacramento will inaugurate the fall catch at the proper time, notwithstanding fall-packed salmon are not equal in quality to spring-packed goods.

The London Grocer's Gazette says: The demand for salmon is quiet. All the Fraser-river fish of good quality has passed into dealers' hands, leaving only the discredited and inferior qualities, of which there was a considerable quantity in the last arrival. That large parcels of this description are in London is undeniable; competent authorities estimate them at 30,000 to 40,000 cases. Their value and ultimate destination is a problem as yet to be solved.

Its Liverpool correspondent writes: For salmon the market here shows signs of an improvement, and sales in the country are very promising; but so far no change has taken place in prices, which rule from 23s. 6d. to 25s. for Columbia river, and 22s. for Fraser river.

Epilepsy (fits) successfully treated. Pamphlet of particulars one stamp, address WORLD'S DISPENSARY MEDICAL ASSOCIATION, Buffalo, N. Y.

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—The Rev. Geo. H. Thayer, of Bourbon, Ind., says: "Both myself and wife owe our lives to SHILOH'S CONSUMPTION CURE." Sold by W. E. Dement.
A dressing to beautify gray hair every family needs. Parker's Hair Balsam never fails to satisfy.
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Walking Jackets, Mantles, Ulsters and Dusters.
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